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Following proposed for release by the DOD soonest, if GODE concurs:
NOTE
/Two patrol frigates of the Navy of the Dominican Republic (GREGORIA
LUPERON F-103 and CAPITAN PEDRO SANTANA F-104) are maintaining a patrol
station in Antillian waters near the Mona Passage as part of that
Government's participation in the combined operation against offensive
weapons destined for Cuba initiated pursuant to the October 23rd
Resolution of the OAS Organ of Consultation. These ships will operate
with the US naval force under the command of Rear Admiral John A. Tyree,
Commander, South Atlantic Force (CONSOLANT). The Dominican Navy has
been invited to send a Dominican Naval officer to join the Staff of
CONSOLANT.

The contribution of the Dominican Republic to the quarantine force
was announced in a note dated October 25, 1962 very shortly after the
quarantine was initiated. That government likewise has made available
its airports, naval bases and other installations to all OAS member
states for the purpose of collective action.

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